PRICE ONE CENT

NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1894. A TRUE ACCOUNT OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET.

THOSE FAVORED ASPHALT BILLS.

Park Department Contracts Were a Mine for the Men with a Pull.

SIGILIAN COMPANY WAS ON TOP

The Hot Asphalt Was Dumped Into Holes by the Kettleful.

CONTRACTORS WILL PRESS ON.

Comptroller Fitch Firm in His Determination Not to Pay the Disputed Claims.

In the course of the investigation into affairs of the Park Department undertaken by "The Evening World" to as certain how the one-million-dollar appropriation authorized by the Legislature for the benefit of the unemployed laborers for the benefit of the unemployed laborers in this city has been expended many facts have already been given to show that a large portion, at least, of the money did not go where it was intended. Instead of giving employment to those in need of work, large sums were expended for costly supplies, purchased from favored companies or individuals, and, in some cases, at least, those who obtained employment were obliged to pay a big bonus to political bosses and heelers, who, in some way, had secured labor tickets distributed by the Commissioners when the work was first begun. "The Evening World" exposed in April this scandal, when it secured evidence that a number of Italian laborers had obtained work in the Department by paying large fees to a well-known padrone for the privilege. Suspiction was generally aroused that this practice had been carried on extensively in the distribution of tickets.

It is this feature of disposition of the funds which aroused indignation of the representatives of organized labor in this city, and to sift the matter the Central Labor Union threatens to bring it to the attention of the Lexon Committee and demand a thorough investigation.

Another queer circumstance is the re-

had full swing in the Department, even after the Commissioners audited and passed the bills, gave a decidedly suspicious look.

Since then further inquiry by "The Evening World" has developed the fact that, although the Sicilian Company had lost its contract for furnishing raw material to the Department, it was making a grab for a big share of the appropriation by supplying its own men, tools and implements to do the work. This, it is claimed, is not giving a fair chance for men out of employment to obtain work in the Park Department.

An informant of "The Evening World," who a yet lime was employed in one of

sciion le already under way to enforce the claim. The "eloquent figures" to which President Clausen has referred, speak very loudy in the instalment which is given to-day. The expenses in the lables which follow refer to the improvement and repairing of settees by carpenters in Central Park and city parks, between March 18 and Oct. 18 of the present year. Of the 84.67.21 the workman received 22,-112.82 while Sil.761.35 was spons for the purchase of materials and supplies.

Some of the items in this account seem to have a remote connection with carpenter work and repairing of benches; as, for example: 1931.46 for stopeochts; 1957.44 for the 1922 of for water closets; 1957.45 for vitrified pipe: In for slates, and numerous bills for hardware of various kinds.

Here is the eighth instalment of the figures that speak volumes:

J. arch St. J. H. Timmerman, for horses. T days ending March 37 5,138, 26 arch 38 J. H. Timmerman, in arch 38 J. H. Timmerman, in arch 38 J. H. Timmerman, in a second J. days ending March 26 1,382,50 pp. 14 J. H. Vimmerman, in 1,480,32 pp. 15 days ending April 1, 1,480,32





(Sketched from Life by an "Evening World" Artist.)

DR. STORRS, MAYOR STRONG, PRESIDENT ORR. CHARLES STEWART PRINCE RUSPOLI, MURAT HALSTEAD.



APPLAUSE AFTER CHAMPAGNE

The Tramp Who Slept in a Mansion Now in Jail.

Thomas Hade, the Butler, Now Appears as Prosecutor.

of Attempted Burglary.

John Garvin, who now calls himself Garvey, the unspeakable tramp who invaded Mrs. William Astor's house on Friday night, was held in Jefferson Mar-

was a curious crowd, but they were dis-appointed, as Mr. Astor threw the proscution on Thomas Hade, the butler. This solemn functionary made affida-

This solemn functionary made affidativit that the defendant entered Mrs. Astor's house by a lower door window with the intention of stealing silver plate, clothing, &c., to the value of \$5,000, and had been found felgning sleep in a locked room on the top floor. The butler adds that Garvey had been seen loafing around the house and once was put out at the front door by Footman John Brennan. When the prisoner gave his record, this morning, he said he was John Garvey, thirty-one years old, born in Ireland, now living at \$6 Howery, and a grocer by occupation. Garvey has a vague dream that he once worked in a Mr. Taylor's grocery store, which he locates at First and Second streets, Jersey City.

The prisoner sat in the sergeant's room through the long forenoon. He is stupid looking and decidedly uninteresting. He smoked the clears which were given to him and answered questions ir an apathetic way. He repeated his first story that he found the side door open and climbed the stairs without opposition, until he reached an

It was reported that several lots of



GARVEY, THE ASTOR TRAMP. for examination to-morrow. His audacery. Mr, Astor had worked so hard to he payment of Garvey's \$5 fine, day efore yesterday, it was expected he

for examination to-morrow. His audactive is now called attempt at burglary.

Garvey was arrested by Court Officer
Connelly at the lodging-house, 98 Bowery. Mr. Astor had worked so hard to get the graver charge entertained since the graver charge entertained since the rewrent of Garvey, 28 5 fine day things about Mr. Astor.

The examination was adjourned till would be in court this morning. There to-morrow morning.

SULLIVAN IS NOT DEAD.

Ericason's Trial Postponed.

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Cunn., Nov. 21.—The trial

J. D. CRIMMINS IN CONTEMPT.

This, it is claimed, is not giving a fair chance for men out of employment to obtain work in the Fark Department.

Who as yet lime was employed in one of the gangs of workmen laying asphalt in Central Park, declares that it foreman of the gang, who owed his position to the gang, who owed his position to with Fark Department officials, was layish in his use of the costly material. As an illustration, he asserts that although the contract called for only one at the Casino, it was haid to a depth of three inches, which, he says, any expert can prove by a simple inspection. The million-dollar fund was evidently being the contract called for only one agraph for it. That this work has not been paid for since Comptroller Fitch's suspisions were aroused, is no fault of Further than this, "The Evening World's" informant states that in numerous other instances there was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was awanteful use of asphalt For instance, with a foundation of concrete, was expected to pay for it all.

"These are solid facts," says "The Evening World's" informant, "for I was because of the fact was freely circulated his morning that the bills the Company has been obtained by a for Lancaster, O. Rumor of his death in false.

Continuing ex-Judge Horse and other facts and the contempt of the defaults was freely circulated his morning that the bills the Company has been obtained by a for Lancaster, O. Rumor of the defaults was freely circulated his morning that the bills the

Taylor Disabled Him and Then Fired Three More Shots.

(By Amociated Press.)
SHAMOKIN, Pa., Nov. 21.—Samuel
Franklin was killed by William Taylor in a duel at Scott Shaft to-day. The men had quarrelled over a riivial matter, and decided to settle the dispute withand decided to settle the dispute with-revolvers.

The first bullet from Taylor's pistol struck the right hand of FFranklin, completely disabling that member. Tay-lor then fired three more shots, killing his opponent. He escaped.

The weather forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. to-morrow is as follows: Rain and fog to-day, followed by fair; cooler on humbey; northeasterly, shifting to southwesserly. The following record shows the changes in the temperature as indicated by the thermometer at Perry's pharmace, during the morning huge; it A. M., 2018 A. M., 2018 A. M., 41 H. M., 42

The best table d'hots d'uner is served at the le. James Motel, it way & Joth st., 5 to 3 F. M. *.*

Rumor That Several Lots Have Been Sold Above Par.

Have Been Bought to Buy New Bonds With.

Exchange So Firm There Is Talk of Exporting Yellow Metal.

The firmness of sterling exchange led to talk about probable shipments of gold to Europe in the near future. Rates are still below the exporting point, bu if a fresh supply of bills is not forth-coming shortly they will certainly go

gold had been sold at premiums ranging from 1-10 to 1-4 per cent, to applicants who want the yellow metal to pay for subscriptions to the Government loan. One of the leading buillon brokers in the street, when seen, explained the re

the street, when seen, explained the reported premium on gold in this way.

"No one wants gold except a person who wants it to buy bonds with, and they are willing to pay 1-4 or even 1-2 premium for it, because they think they will have profit enough in the bonds to more than pay back the premium which they pay for the gold.

"Every one knows that the rates have not been favorable for the importing of gold, yet gold has been brought here from abroad. The parties bringing it were willing to pay a premium to get it. That is the situation as I see it.

The latest bord subscription report is that there will be two syndicates, one representing the banks and the other libed for \$23,000,000 of the bonds on a basis of 118,125.

Aside from these syndicate subscriptions, individual bids will be made aggregating fully twenty million more at about 11°. It was also reported that one of the syndicates would hand in its bid this afternoon, and that it had sufficient gold promised it to pay the first instalment of 30 per cent. on the entire loan.

There were reports of meetings of the street of the syndicates would hand in its bid continued the syndicates would hand in its bid this afternoon, and that it had sufficient gold promised it to pay the first instalment of 20 per cent. on the entire loan.

TO PAY REVENUES IN GOLD.

Law Providing for This.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.-It is expected that very soon after the meeting pected that very soon after the meeting of Congress a bill will be introduced to provide that a certain percentage of the revenues of the Government shall be paid in gold.

It is doubtful whether during the short session this measure can be got through Congress, but a very determined effort, it is asserted, will be made in that direction.

Gold Reserve Is Now \$57,854,240. (By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The cash balance in the Treasury to-day is \$199,515,726; the gold re-

serve \$56,064,249. This does not include yester-day's withdrawals, which leave the sctual gold reserve at \$57,864,249. KILLED AT A CHARIVARI.

Half-Witted Bridegroom Shoots His Annoyers. (By Associated Press.)
WELLINGTON, Kan., Nov. 21.—As a

WELLINGTON, Kan., Nov. II.—As a result of a charivari last night John McCook is dead and Claude Walton is seriously wounded.

Richard Webster was married in this city yesterday, and in the evening a crowd of boys and young men went to his residence to charivari him and his hride.

Webster fired into the crowd with a revolver, with the above result. Webster is a member of the Salvation Army and is half witted. He was arrested.

It Will Be Colder To-Morrow.

According to Local Forecastor Dunn the wet weather f to-day is caused by a storm passing down the St. Lawrence Valley. It is far reachbers of the firm emphatically deny that
any robbery had occurzed.

They declare that Linsley's accounts
are straight, and that there is no
foundation for the rumor that his suicide was the result of large thefts.

The body of Linsley was found in
Lake Michigan to-day at the foot of
the body indicated that it had been in
the water several days, and as Linsley
was jast seen Friday evening, he is supposed to have drowned himself Friday
in high to Baturday morning.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 21.—M. F.
Lindsley, whose body was found in Lake
Michigan, at Chicago to-day, left this
city about ten years ago. He was here
employed by the Q. H. Ford Company,
the largest fewelry house in the State
and was well-known in society here and
in Meriden where his parents resided.

An Editor Dead.

(by Associated Press.)
NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Nov. II.—Judge James
Robinson, editor of The Transcript, and one the most prominent residents of Berkshire only, died here at 12.50 to-day. He was born

(By Associated Press.)
ASHEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 21.—Miss Mary 1

Tandem Parade Postponed. The annual parade of the Tandem Club, which was to have started from the Flaza, Hotel at II, clock this morning, was postponed, on account of the weather, to next month. The date is yet to

GOLD AT A PREMIUM? NOW FELLOWS MUST ANSWER.

Good Government Clubs Make Charges Against the District-Attorney.

NEGLECT OF DUTY ALLEGED

Notified by Gov. Flower that He Must Reply Within Eight Days.

COMMITTEE OF LXX. SURPRISED.

a long time, The door were thought at first that the Committee was from the Committee of LXX., and that District-Attorney was being discussed. which to answer the charges of the

lows reads as follows:

The Official Notice.

Solution of the County of New York—
Notice and summons:

"To John R. Fellows, District-Attorney of the County of New York—
In of the County of New York—
Of the County of New York:

"You are hereby notified that charges of neglect of the duty in office have been preferred against you by Preble Tucker, Fulton McMahon, Charles Table, R. W. G. Welling and Clarence Goadby, for the city and county of New York, and a copy of the said charges is herewith served upon you.

"You are therefore required to show cause why you should not be removed from the office of District-Attorney of the County of New York and to answer specifically each of the said charges within eight days after service of this order and a copy of said charges within eight days after service of this order and a copy of said charges upon you.

"In witness whereof I have signed my

you.

"In witness whereof I have signed my name and affixed the privy seal for the State at the Capirol in the city of Albany this 21st day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four," "ROSWELL. P. FLOWER."

Committee of Seventy's plans?" he was

The specific charges on which the

Cases Not Brought to Trial. Cases Not Brought to Trial.

"We, the undersigned, citizens of the city and county of New York, hereby charge John R. Fellows, esq., District-Attorney of said city and county, with neglect of duty in that, among other things, he has failed to bring to speedy trial many persons under indictment for criminal offences, with the result that the administration of criminal justice in said county has become a matter of grave public scandal.

"Among the failures included in this charge we specify the following cases

Committee of Seventy's plans?" he was asked.
"I cannot say," he replied. "Since we received the letter from District-Attorney Fellows, consenting to have the Attorney-General or a deputy conduct the prosecution of election cases and delinquent officials, we had drafted a new letter to Gov. Flower, which will be sent to him shortly.

"This application to have Fellows removed is unexpected, but I do not know at present whether it will interfere with our plans. I will say, however, that I consider it ill advised.
"It seemed to me," continued Mr. Larcque, "that we were pursuing the best course possible, and we will continue on the plan outlined."

Mr. Larcque was evidently perturbed by the unexpected development.

Mr. Beaman also denied that the Seventy had anything to do with the application for the removal of Col. Fellows, but would not discuss it. Not Politic, Says Schwab.

Gustav Schwab said the applicatio was entirely unexpected to the member of the Committee of Seventy, and h thought it was not politic at the presen



District-Attorney Fellows.

The foregoing was all sworn to be-fore Notary Puble Henry J. Sherman Nov. 20, and the affidavit is attached.

of prisoners confined in the Tombs prison, charged with homicide, and we are ready to present other instances of neglect of duty if required by Your Excellency, viz.:

"Prisoners in the Tombs prison charged with homicide:
Leonarde Larabblo, committed Nov. 18, 1891, State Prison two years and two months; acquitted Nov. 1, 1894.

Sebastian Scoorato, committed April 16, 1892; sequitted Nov. 1, 1894.

William Fiannelly, committed May 15, 1891, convicted Nov. 18, 1891, committed May 15, 1892, convicted Nov. 18, 1894; manufacushter in the

THE SPECIFIC CASES.

Review of the Crimes Which Fel-

lows Has Not Acted Upon. A review of the cases on which Col. Fellows will be tried is given below. All of them were brought to the attention of the public through "The World." They show such evident neglect and incompetency they are well worth reading merely as evidence of how grossly duty can be neglected.
Patrick Masterson.

The case of Patrick Masterson, once a henchman of Timothy Dry Dollar Sulli-

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DEUEL TO BE

Named by Gilroy to Succeed Solon B. Smith on the Police Court Bench.

Amos J. Cummings, H. S. Kearney and Jacob Hess Will Ba the Future Members.

IT IS A PLATT-TAMMANY DEAL

Nearly All Named to Succoed Themselves.

JACOB HISS.



AMOR J. CUMMINGS.